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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: : Date: February 25, 2004  
 Phillip C. Celaya et al : Group: 3729  
 APPLN. NO. 3/26/2001 : Examiner: Thiem D. Phan  
 FILED: 09/817330 :  
 FOR: METHOD OF MAKING A LEAD-FREE INTEGRATED CIRCUIT PACKAGE

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING FACSIMILE TRANSMITTED  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for a 2nd month extension of time for response to the outstanding Official Action mailed September 29, 2003. The period for response was previously set to elapse December 29, 2003, was thereafter extended one-month to January 29, 2004, and is accordingly hereby extended to February 29, 2004, which is still within the six-month statutory period for response (35 U.S.C. § 133) which elapses March 29, 2004. The reason for this petition is as follows:

☐ A response to the outstanding Official Action is being filed herewith.

☐ It is expected that a response to the outstanding Official Action will be filed within the extended period for

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32 ☒ A Notice of Appeal to the Board of Appeals (37 C.F.R. § 1.191) is being filed herewith.

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- ☐ It is expected that a Notice of Appeal to the Board of Appeals (37 C.F.R. § 1.191) will be filed within the extended period for response.
- ☐ A Division, Continuation, or Continuation-in-part is being filed, and it is desired to maintain the present application in pending condition pursuant to 35 USC § 120 through at least the filing date of the Division, Continuation, or Continuation-in-part application.

The required Extension Fee established by 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 41(a) (8) is:

EXTENSION	FEE
<input type="checkbox"/> First Month	\$110.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Second Month	\$310 (\$420 less \$110 previously paid)
<input type="checkbox"/> Third Month	\$920.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fourth Month	\$1,440.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Fifth Month	\$1,960.00

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- ☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 501086 in the amount of \$ 310.00 (or the correct fee) for the Extension Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a).
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required now or in the future during the entire pendency of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 37 C.F.R. 1.17, including any present or future time extension fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501086.

Respectfully submitted,  
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